

CONGRESSMAN FITZPATRICK

Says Per-na is a Splendid Catarrhal Tonic.



Congressman T. Y. Fitzpatrick.

Hon. T. Y. Fitzpatrick, Congressman from Kentucky, writes from the National Hotel, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"At the solicitation of a friend I used your Per-na and can cheerfully recommend your remedy to anyone suffering with catarrh or who needs a good tonic."

A Good Tonic.  
Per-na is a natural and efficient nerve tonic. It strengthens and restores the activity of every nerve in the body.

Through the use of Per-na the weakened or overworked nerves resume their natural strength and the blood vessels begin at once to regulate the flow of blood according to nature's laws. Congestions immediately disappear.

Catarrh Cured.  
All phases of catarrh, acute or chronic, are promptly and permanently cured. It is through its operation on the nervous system that Per-na has attained such a world-wide reputation as a sure and reliable remedy for all phases of catarrh wherever located.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Per-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice free.

Address: Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Lost His Appetite.  
"What made the man at the last restaurant?" asked the proprietor of the waiter.

"It was this way, sir," answered the waiter. "He came in and asked for a steak and I told him we were out, but if he would wait a little while we would have some."

"Then I went out in the kitchen and accidentally stepped on the dog's tail, sir, and the dog began to howl like he was being killed, sir, and—"

"I see," interrupted the proprietor. "Indianapolis Sun."

What About Your School House?  
You may not think this season be able to build a new one, or make the radical changes in the old one that you had in contemplation, but there is a school district in the United States that cannot afford to flinch with Alabaster in the interior of their buildings, thus making them more attractive, settling out their effects on the eyes of the pupils, getting a sanitary and rock base cement coating that will not harbor disease germs.

The closely crowded school rooms need all the safeguards to the health of the pupil that intelligent officials can surround them with, and all sanitarians unite in saying that Alabaster is the only proper material to be used on such walls.

Advantages and Drawbacks.  
"He's going in for politics," wouldn't he make a splendid diplomat, though?" "What? Why, he's a deaf mute?" "Exactly. Just think how easy it would be for him to be absolutely dumb when it was expected to be a diplomat."

"Yes, but he could never talk without showing his hand."—Philadelphia Record.

National Educational Association.  
Annual Meeting at Minneapolis July 17th to 19th. Tickets on sale via the Nickel Plate Road on July 17th to 7th good to return until Sept. 1st at one fare plus \$2.00 Round Trip. See nearest agent. No. 135.

More to Make Them Happy.  
Mrs. Sarah Grand declares that men are happier than women. Perhaps that is true. They have more to make them happy. They have the women.—Kansas City Journal.

ARE YOUR CLOTHES FADED?  
Use Red Cross Ball Blue and make them white again. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

The modern system of "personally conducted" tours has opened pretty much all of the known world to the globe-trotter.

We use Pilsa's Cure for Consumption in preference to any other cough medicine. Mrs. E. E. Borden, 422 P street, Washington, D. C., May 25, 1901.

Telling a man to respect his betters is utterly useless unless you can convince him he has some.

Special Chautauque Excursion.  
On July 25th and the Nickel Plate Road at Reduced Rates account the Chautauque Summer Assembly. Return limit available until August 25th. See nearest agent. No. 136.

One very common species of ocean lettuce is shaped like a bell.

Do you want a Self-Inking Dating Stamp for 75 cents? Address, Lock Box 216, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The largest tree in California, Tulare County. It is 275 feet high and 106 in circumference at the base.

Wait for the Annual Niagara Falls Excursion via the Nickel Plate Road on Tuesday, August 13th. Very low rates. See nearest agent for particulars. No. 130.

A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forever.  
Dr. J. J. Feltz's Skin Cream. It cures all skin diseases, and every blemish, and makes the skin soft and white. It is the best skin cream ever made. It is sold everywhere. It is the best skin cream ever made. It is sold everywhere. It is the best skin cream ever made. It is sold everywhere.

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MOLLY DITCHER



Fitcher the gunner is brist and young. He's a handsome heart and a merry tongue. An ear like a fox, an eye like a hawk. A foot that would sooner run than walk. And a hand that can touch the thickest thicket.

As the lightning darts from the thunder dome. He's a lightning dart, he's a lightning dart. The roll of the drum is his heart's delight. His country, his gun, and his Irish wife. Oh, Molly, with your eyes so blue!

Oh, Molly, Molly, here's to you. Sweet Honor's roll will be richer to hold the name of Molly Ditcher.

A bullet comes singing over the brow. And Fitcher's gun is silent now. The brazen throat that roared his will. The shout of the warlike boy, is still. The black lips curl, but they shoot no gun.

And the voice that cries on the gunner's name. Fitcher only it's echo where he lies. With his steadfast face turned up to the stars. His last thought sinks from love to love. Of your darling face that buds above.

"No one to serve in Fitcher's stead. When a flash, before him stood. A figure dashed with smoke and blood. And lips that falter the gunner's name. His fighting duty did he forget? His voice shall speak, though he be dead."

Next day on that field so hardy won. Stately and calm stands Washington. And looks where our gallant Greene doth lie. A figure clad in military weed. Masking a woman's petticoat. He greets our Molly in kindly wise: And now he bids her rise for four eyes. And now he bids her rise for four eyes.

"And since she has played a man's full part. I must reward her with a loyal heart. Be virtuous, Molly, on the shield of fame! Oh, Molly, with your eyes so blue! Oh, Molly, Molly, here's to you. To hold the name of Molly Ditcher. Laura E. Richards, in St. Nicholas.

boldly facing. "Don't you hear him?" In the distance sounded the hoofs of the runaway. With a growl the man started in pursuit and before Hugh could refer to the saddle.

This horse had left behind him in the bushes. Hugh examined his bulging pockets. The leather pockets were bursting with bank notes, silver and postage stamps.

Hugh did a heap of thinking. Then he covered the saddle with brush, and went into the city.

Early editions of the morning papers were just out. Newsboys were shouting: Full account of the postoffice robbery!

Nellie had purchased a paper. Amid the rising pop and bang of early fireworks, he read of the burglary of the local postoffice—booty consisting, twenty thousand dollars; reward offered, ten per cent.

Hugh went to the nearest police station and told his story. There was no doubt but that he had in hiding the plunder, stuffed saddle of a runaway horse of the thieves.

As Hugh left the station, two hours after the saddle and the stolen money, he pocketed an order for two thousand dollars.

The patrol wagon just then drove up, loaded with young men. He started as he recognized among them his recent comrade Roy, one of a coterie arrested in a gambling haunt.

Hugh secured his release and loaned him twenty-five dollars to get to a distant relative in temporary humble retirement.

There was a lucky Fourth of July for Hugh. A few evenings later, when he modestly told his story to the Bords, Nellie looked pleased, and her father observed:

"You showed yourself no spendthrift with your five dollars, Hugh, if you did get tricked out of most of it—and as you got two thousand in bank as a nest egg, why not settle down and get married?"

This was plain and plump. Nellie blushed. Later, she hid her head on sturdy Hugh's shoulder as he asked her: "Roy or Hugh, dear, which is it to be?"

There was no hesitation in the answer, and brave, loyal Hugh was made happy.

The Patriotic Spirit.  
Every boy and girl in America may be proud of the bright flag which waves above so many school houses to-day; and the youth of other countries also love their national flag and their native land, so that the patriotic spirit is not confined to any one people nor to any one period of human history.

Just because that spirit is sweetest where the people are most earnest to seek the happiness of all their countrymen, it is right that we study the history of other countries and peoples, to see if we can learn from them that which will make us more blessed and prosperous.

Sometimes we think that there never was a country where everybody had so much cause for being happy as in these United States. And sometimes we forget that nearly all the laws, maxims and incentives to patriotism which move our own hearts and bless mankind had their origin long before Greece and Rome.

The trials of our forefathers when they first landed upon these shores and during their gradual attainment of national independence never fail to awaken sympathy. And yet the most noteworthy adoption of a new country by a wandering people was that of the Hebrews. The devotion of his Hebrew ancestors to their native land when they were captive exiles, far away from home, is a sublime type of the patriotic spirit in its noblest and best expression: "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her psalm."

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POLITICS OF THE DAY

Cleveland Suggests Platform.  
Cleveland, Ohio, June 25.—The Hill met on the same platform in New York, and both talked Democratic unity and how best to restore the party to something like its former prestige.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Twelve years continuous service at the sick bed in some of our prominent hospitals, as well as at private homes, has given me varied experiences with the diseases of women. I have nursed some of the most distressing cases of inflammation and ulceration of the ovaries and womb. I have known that doctors used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when everything else failed with their patients. I have advised my patients and friends to use it and have yet to hear of its first failure to cure."

"Four years ago I had falling of the womb from straining in lifting a heavy patient, and knowing of the value of your Compound I began to use it at once, and in six weeks I was well once more. I have since used it in many cases and have never had a failure. I am most pleased to have had an opportunity to say a few words in praise of your Vegetable Compound, and shall take every occasion to recommend it."

MISS VIRGINIA GRANES.—\$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine. Address: Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has stood the test of time, and has cured thousands. Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address: Lynn, Mass.

Circumstances Alter Cases.  
Crawford—Does a woman always decline her first offer of marriage? Crabshaw—That depends altogether on what age she is when it occurs.—Smart Set.

New England Rates Via the Nickel Plate Road as Follows:  
B. Y. P. U., at Providence, R. I.—Tickets on sale July 7 to 9 inclusive, good to return until July 15, or by deposit until August 15, 1902.

National Y. P. C. U., at Portland, Me.—Tickets on sale July 5 to 9 inclusive, good to return until July 17 inclusive, or by deposit until August 15, 1902.

One fare for the round trip in either case. See nearest agent. No. 131.

Well, of Course.  
"Do you like checkers?" "I should say so; I'm the local agent for Scotch plaid."

If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes use Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

Vinegar is mentioned in the Egyptian records as a medicine in the tenth century B. C.

Sunday Excursions to Chicago.  
Every Sunday during the summer beginning next Sunday, the Nickel Plate Road will sell excursion tickets from Fort Wayne to Chicago and return for \$2.00, good on train No. 8 going, and on train No. 5 returning same day. See Ticket Agent at C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind. No. 126.

Cremote was discovered in 1830 by Reichenbach, who extracted it from the tree wood.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething soothes the gums, reduces inflammation, cures colic, cures wind colic. It is a bottle.

The oldest college in the United States is Harvard, founded in 1638.

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